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Applicants: Marko Schuba, et al

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Dear Examiner:

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.116**

In response to the Office Action of March 31, 2006, the Applicant requests that the claims be amended to place the application in condition for allowance.

**Claims 1, 4, 14, 17 and 25 have been amended and begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.**